

OPINION 1226

BONELLI'S TABULA SYNOPTICA RULED TO BE AN
AVAILABLE WORK AND TO HAVE BEEN PUBLISHED
IN 1810

RULING.—(1) Under the plenary powers it is hereby ruled that Bonelli's *Observations Entomologiques, Première Partie*, including his *Tabula Synoptica exhibens genera Carabicorum in sectiones et stirpes disposita*, is an available work and that it was published in 1810.

(2) The title of the above work is hereby placed on the Official List of Works approved as available for Zoological Nomenclature with the Title Number 44.

HISTORY OF THE CASE Z.N.(S.) 2135

An application from Professor Maciej Mroczkowski (*Institute of Zoology, Polish Academy of Sciences, Warsaw*) for the addition of Bonelli's *Tabula Synoptica* to the Official List was first received on 31 July 1975. It was sent to the printer on 25 October 1976 and published on 1 July 1977 in *Bull. zool. Nom.* vol. 34, pp. 61–62. Public notice of the possible use of the plenary powers in the case was given in the same part of the *Bulletin* as well as to eight general and seven specialist periodicals. The application was supported by the late Professor Carl Lindroth (*Lund University, Sweden*) and by Dr C.L. Kryzhanovskij (*Academy of Sciences, Leningrad*). An objection by Professor Holthuis was answered by Professor Mroczkowski (*Bull. zool. Nom.* vol. 34, pp. 201–202). Alternative proposals were put forward by Dr R.B. Madge (*British Museum (Natural History), London*) (*Bull. zool. Nom.* vol. 35, pp. 9–12) and accepted by Professor Mroczkowski.

DECISION OF THE COMMISSION

On 6 October 1981 the members of the Commission were invited to vote under the Three-Month Rule in Voting Paper (1981)26 for or against the proposals set out in *Bull. zool. Nom.* vol. 35, p. 11. At the close of the voting period on 6 January 1982 the state of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative Votes — twenty-one (21) received in the following order: Melville, Holthuis, Mroczkowski, Sabrosky, Willink, Trjapitzin, Corliss, Vokes, Tortonese, Hahn, Brinck, Heppell, Lehtinen, Alvarado, Habe, Binder, Dupuis, Nye, Welch, Bayer, Cogger

Negative Votes — none (0).

Late affirmative votes were received from Halvorsen, Ride

and Starobogatov. No voting papers were returned by Bernardi and Kraus.

Professor Dupuis commented: 'I vote for the proposal with the addition "including his *Tabula Synoptica exhibens genera Carabiorum in sectiones et stirpes disposita*". This was an integral part of the original proposals and has been incorporated in the present ruling.'

ORIGINAL REFERENCE

The following is the original reference to a work of which the title has been added to the Official List of Works approved as available for Zoological Nomenclature by the ruling given in the present Opinion:

Bonelli, F.A., 1810, *Observations entomologiques*, Première Partie, including *Tabula Synoptica exhibens genera Carabiorum in sectiones et stirpes disposita*. *Mém. Acad. imp. Sci. Litt. et Beaux-Arts de Turin*, vol. 18 (Mém. prés. vol. 4), pp. 21–78 plus table.

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the votes cast on V.P.(81)26 were cast as set out above, that the proposal contained in that voting paper has been duly adopted under the plenary powers, and that the decision so taken, being the decision of the International Commission on Zoological Nomenclature, is truly recorded in the present Opinion No. 1226.

R.V. MELVILLE

Secretary

International Commission on Zoological Nomenclature

London

29 April 1982